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ADVENTURES OF SHERLOCK HOLMES

THE MAN WITH THE TWISTED LIP

by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

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| SHERLOCK HOLMES | ----- | Ellie Norwood |
| DR. WATSON | ----- | Hubert Willis |
| MRS. HUDSON | ----- | Mims. d'Esterre |
| HUGH BOONE |) | |
| NEVILLE ST. CLAIR | ----- | Robert Vallie |
| MRS. ST. CLAIR | ----- | Paulette Del Baye |

Brought up in idleness and luxury, when left penniless Neville St. Clair, hit on a novel way of earning a living. He was married and each morning left his wife and children apparently a typical prosperous business man. In an opium den in the East End he changed his clothes and identity, and became Boone, a begging match seller, his body hunched and twisted, his leg bent and lip twisted up. One day business brought Mrs. St. Clair past the opium den. She saw her husband at a window. As his eyes met hers he threw up his hands as though in fear and jumped back into the room. The wife went into the house, where she was met by an evil looking lascar who put her out. She reported the occurrence to the police, who went back with her. They found the lascar and the man with the twisted lip. Some of St. Clair's clothes were hidden in the chimney, and in the shallow water at the river's edge they found his overcoat weighted with pennies. As St. Clair could not be found Boone was suspected of his murder and arrested. The assistance of Holmes was sought. As he had frequented this opium den in disguise he had an inkling of St. Clair's double life. Armed with a sponge he visited the sleeping Boone in his cell, washed off his make-up revealing St. Clair, the man the police believed to be murdered. St. Clair confessed everything.

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